













# The Corner

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## A Republican State Convention

WILL BE HELD IN

CITY HALL, AUGUST 1

Thursday, June 28th, 1898.

AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Governor to be supported at the September election, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

The voters of Maine, without regard to party, are invited to attend the convention, and to express their views on the issues of the day.

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Quaker Oats, At All Grocers, 2-lb. pkgs. only.

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THE VALUE OF PORTO RICO.

The conquest of Porto Rico is regarded

as highly important from a naval and

commercial point of view at this time.

The United States should seize and

permanently hold Porto Rico as a naval

station in the West Indies. It is the most

healthy and productive of all the

Spanish possessions. It has an area

of 3,500 English square miles, with 470

miles of coast and 137 of railway.

Its ultimate commercial value to the

United States under the development of

American capital and business enterprise

is almost beyond calculation at this time.

Even under a government to which justice

is a mockery and which has drained

its resources for the benefit of official

plunderers it has been Spain's most profit-

able colonial possession. It must be

remembered that nearly all the commerce

of Spain for years has been with her col-

onies. In 1893, which was an average

year before the Cuban war broke out,

Spanish exports to Porto Rico amounted

to more than \$4,500,000, while all other

exports to that port of the world scarcely

aggregated \$5,000,000. In 1894, before

Spain put a prohibitive tariff on American

goods exported to her colonies, we sold to

Porto Rico 200,018 barrels of flour.

The principal articles of export from

Porto Rico are coffee, sugar and tobacco.

In 1894 the exports to Spain from the

island were valued at more than \$4,500,000.

An idea of how the Spanish colony

draws the island of its public money may

be gleaned from the budget for the ad-

ministration of Porto Rico for 1894-5,

which was as follows:

REVENUES. DISBURSEMENTS.

Taxes, \$1,000,000. General, \$1,000,000.

Customs, \$2,000,000. Judicial, \$2,000,000.

Industries, \$2,000,000. Navy, \$2,000,000.

Total, \$5,000,000. Total, \$5,000,000.

CONCERNS.

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## REAL ESTATE

**FOR RENT.**  
The Littlefield Cottage, Fort Point.  
Well furnished. Will show it to any

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**PASTURE-TO-CONCRETE**—Permanent pasture for a few cows. 1/2 mile. 1/2 acre. Montgomery street.

**FOR SALE**—A solid oak dining chair, brood used by a little prince. Edgar, Manager of Arthur & Co., 100 E. Walnut & Co., No. 12 Hudson street.

**FOR SALE**—Two lots of land on western side of Pearl street, each 53 feet in width on street and 70 feet in depth. Matthew Laughlin, Administrator, Bangor.

**FOR SALE** (CHOP)—Soft, Sweet, Bottle Moulding, 70 gross 15 plot and 100 gross 153 border boxes. A. B. Sullivan, 153 Birch street, Bangor, Me.

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